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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated October 17, 2009, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to February 17, 2009.

The Petition fee in the amount of \$130.00 is being electronically filed herewith. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment as a result of the filing of this paper to our Deposit Account No. 02-3978.

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